

5. Assist in the support and coordination of the activities of local film commissions in North Carolina;
6. Provide advice on projects directly assigned by the Governor to the Council;
7. Assist with recruitment of the film industry to select North Carolina sites for filmmaking; and
8. Assist in the preparation of an annual report on the economic impact of the film-making industry in North Carolina, along with recommendations to increase the filmmaking activities within North Carolina.

Section 3.     Membership.

The Council shall consist of no more than 25 voting members who shall be appointed by the Governor including:

- a.     representatives of the film industry within the state representing acting, production, directing, producing, and film studio management;
- b.     representatives of state or local government; and
- c.     citizens' at-large members.

Section 4.     Terms of Membership.

All members shall be appointed for a term of three years.

Section 5.     Vacancies.

A vacancy occurring during a term of appointment is filled in the same manner as the original appointment and for the balance of the unexpired term.

Section 6.     Travel Expense.

Members of the Council shall receive necessary travel and subsistence expenses, when available, from Department of Commerce funds, pursuant to N.C.G.S. §138-5.